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CRACKED THE SAFE

And Robbers at Hayti, Mo., Secure a Good Big Wad.

Millions of Acres of Government Land Stolen—Big University Burns.

OTHER NEWS BY WIRE

ROBBERS CRACK SAFE.

Caruthersville, Mo., Dec. 2.—The Bank of Hayti, six miles from here, was entered by thieves who with three explosives cracked the vault and got away with between \$7,000 and \$15,000. The job was a good one and there is no clue.

CATTLE KINGS INDIOTED.

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 2.—The latest sensation in Nebraska is the alleged indicting in the federal court here of a large number of ranch owners who are alleged to have fenced in government land. It is said that between 700 and 800 ranchmen in Western Nebraska have fenced in fully 7,000,000 acres of government land. Names of those indicted are not given out.

CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY BURNS.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 2.—The handsome big Catholic university here was last night destroyed by fire, entailing a loss of \$250,000. Many of the inmates escaped by jumping, and one priest was fatally hurt.

KILLED OVER LOAD OF COAL.

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 2.—Henry Gray and Louis Staggs, of Chilesburg, this county, quarreled today over unloading a car of coal the job of which both claimed. As they couldn't settle which had been engaged they fought, and Gray was killed and Staggs fatally shot. Both were men with large families.

DEATH IN TODD.

Nikton, Ky., Dec. 2.—Miss Lucy V. Kimbrough, daughter of the late Levy P. Kimbrough, a prominent and popular young lady, died today at the home of Judge P. O. Duffy, her grandfather, from consumption.

THE CONVENTION

A Large Crowd is at Wickliffe This Afternoon.

Reports Indicate that Attorney Wheeler Campbell Will Win.

Chairman C. W. Morrison, of the democratic senatorial committee, left this morning for Wickliffe, accompanied by the delegates from McCracken and Marshall counties and a number of politicians and others, to attend the convention there this afternoon to nominate a democratic candidate for the state senate.

Reports from Wickliffe are that there is a large crowd present, and much interest. Chairman Morrison called the convention to order at 2 o'clock.

At three o'clock it was reported that the convention had not been organized, but that Campbell seemed to be the stronger candidate.

Mrs. Rosa Green, of Ballard county, is the guest of Mrs. Weitlauf, of the Mayfield road.

THE MARKETS.

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TEST SUIT PROBABLY

Members of the Militia Interested in Decision.

They Desire to Know if Militiamen May Be Sent to Jail for Petty Offences.

QUESTION TO BE SETTLED

A suit in which the state militia of Kentucky will be interested probably will be filed in the Jefferson county court soon for the purpose of testing the constitutionality of the state militia law relative to the power of commanding officers to order the arrest and imprisonment of privates or non-commissioned officers for petty violations of the law, such as the failure to attend drills, etc.

The suit is contemplated by Colonel J. H. Ward, of Louisville, whose son a member of Battery A, was arrested by a policeman and placed in the county jail, where he was kept in a cell until Sunday morning. The order for young Ward's arrest was made by First Lieutenant Robert G. Gordon, charging him with refusing to attend meetings and drills of his battery.

When the order for Ward's arrest was drawn, like warrants for several other members of Battery A were also drawn and placed in the hands of the police, but those named in them were not apprehended until Monday night. When they were taken to jail they were refused admittance by order of Jailer Pfanz, who, after consulting his attorney, decided he had no right to receive prisoners on the order of Lieutenant Gordon. The men were then liberated, and the police refused to serve other warrants in their hands. This raised the question as to the power conveyed by the statutes, and Colonel Ward is now having prepared a suit to test the law and its constitutionality.

The section of the law under which the warrants were issued, and which Colonel Ward will attack in the contemplated proceedings, is as follows:

"And the commanding officer of any regiment, battalion, or company, troop or battery, may arrest any member of his command for a violation of any order, regulation or law for the government of the Kentucky state guard and he may authorize in writing any constable, police officer or sheriff of the city or county wherein such violation occurs, to so arrest any such delinquent member; and such commanding officer may turn over to any constable, police officer or sheriff any member of his command so arrested by him, and such constable, police officer or sheriff shall hold such man so arrested in his custody until he has been tried by the proper court-martial or has been discharged by proper authority, and for a period not exceeding five days."

Colonel Ward holds that if a militiaman is arrested by a peace officer he must be "held in his custody" until tried, and not placed in jail.

COMMITTEES MEET

THE FINANCE AND THE LICENSE COMMITTEES TO HOLD SESSION.

Two important committee meetings will be held Friday at the city hall. The finance committee will meet to discuss the advisability of compromising the suit of Roberts & Co., of New York against the city of Paducah for \$10,000 damages for breach of contract. The company has proposed to compromise for \$2,000, and the committee will act on whether or not it is deemed advisable to accept it.

The license committee will also hold a meeting Friday for the purpose of deciding on other changes in the license law. A number have already been agreed on but the revision is not quite complete.

HE FOUND A CURE.

R. H. Foster, 318 S. 21 street, Salt Lake City, writes: "I have been bothered with dyspepsia or indigestion for 21 years, have tried many doctors without relief, but I have found a cure in Herbine. I recommend it to all my friends, who are afflicted that way, and I am curing them, too. 50c at DuBois, Kolb & Co."

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box.

DON'T HAVE TO BUST

Members of the School Board Become Children Again.

Elect a Superintendent for a Day or Two—Hatfield's Resignation Effective December 31.

PROF. CLARKE IS ELECTED

The regular meeting of the board of education took place last night at the high school building on West Broadway and Superintendent O. B. Hatfield, of the schools, tendered his resignation as anticipated, and Prof. E. S. Clarke, of Nevada, Mo., was elected to succeed him.

Present were: Trustees Leake, Bockman, Winstead, Sutherland, Mattison, Mammen, Fuller and Weill.

The final report of Superintendent Hatfield was read showing the condition of the schools, and the report of the treasurer showed that the expenditures during the month were \$4,211.53. The miscellaneous bills amounted to \$175.92 and were allowed.

Chairman Weill of the building committee, reported that all of the buildings were in good order except the Langstaff building, which will be given a few repairs.

The regular report of the building superintendent was received and he was on request granted a month's leave of absence during which time his salary will not be paid.

No action was taken on the request of Charles Coleman, two rooms of whose house is rented as a portion of the Garfield school. He wanted the rent increased from \$6 to \$8 a month and the salary of his wife, who is janitress increased from \$4 to \$5 a month.

Secretary Sutherland read the following resignation of Superintendent Hatfield:

Paducah, Ky., Dec. 1, 1903.
To the President and Members of the Board of Education:

Gentlemen: This is the first meeting of your body since the November election. Whatever may have been the representations that influenced that election, the results are settled. Believing that the antagonism growing out of that election would hinder my efforts and furthermore believing that the acts of this board that have been called in question, were wise and good, I deem it becoming in me to tender you my resignation as superintendent to take effect December 31, 1903. Most respectfully,
O. B. HATFIELD.

By unanimous vote the superintendent's resignation was accepted effective December 31.

President Leake erroneously stated that this left the schools without a superintendent, and asked what they were going to do about it. As was known all along by those who have watched the career of the board, it was going to do something foolish about it, and so it did.

Mr. Weill asked to see the rules, and while they were being looked for, attempted to find out which trustee or trustees told a Sun reporter that they, the old and "onliest" board, "would elect the new superintendent or bust," and failing to find out, he said it was not true, and then in that manner and touching style characteristic of Trustee Weill, proceeded to show principally how badly hurt he has been by the reputation of his board by the people and how "sore" he is at everything and everybody who has dared to criticize the present board or offer with it.

Secretary Sutherland, in the meantime, was diligently searching for a role bearing on the resignation of superintendent, which it seems might have been looked up before, inasmuch as there has been so much talk about which board was to elect a new superintendent. Finally he reported that he could find nothing applicable to the case.

He could not show what charter provisions there were covering the case, because there was no charters on hand.

Secretary Sutherland was in favor of electing at once, declaring that it would never do to let the schools go without a superintendent during the time intervening between the superintendent's retirement and the new board, about two school days.

Trustee Mammen suggested that perhaps they could appoint some one to take charge during the time from December 31, when the resignation becomes effective, and January 1, when the new board comes in, but the trustees

did not desire to run the risk of leaving the schools thus unprotected for such a long time. Trustee Mammen, who is not in with the clique, was totally ignored and Secretary Sutherland and President Leake both insisted on an immediate election, carrying out the prognostication of the members who told The Sun that they would "elect or bust." Fortunately none of them had to bust, for they elected Prof. E. S. Clarke, of Nevada, Mo., over W. F. Pate, of Versailles, to fill a vacancy that does not exist. There will be no vacancy until December 31, when Superintendent Hatfield retires and his resignation becomes effective.

Trustees Mammen, Mattison and Fuller, did not desire to participate in such an absurd proceeding, and were excused by request, from voting.

The board decided to dismiss the schools December 23 until January 1 this year, and will hold an adjourned meeting on December 23 to allow salaries and transact their final business before retiring.

LETTER CARRIERS

OFFICERS ELECTED FOR THE ENSUING YEAR LAST NIGHT.

The Paducah Letter Carriers' association last night elected officers for the year as follows: Charles Grimm, president; Frank Moore vice president; Jesse G. Card, financial and recording secretary; Fred Acker, treasurer; C. B. Williamson, sergeant at arms; J. Allard Williams, collector of mutual benefit assessment.

—The ladies are invited to call to see The Kentucky Glass and Queensware Co.'s line of Christmas goods. 'Tis the prettiest store in Paducah.

MESSAGE FROM PETER.

KING OF SERBIA SENDS AN AUTOGRAPH LETTER TO PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT.

Berlin, Dec. 2.—M. Miletehovitch, the Serbian minister here, has requested United States Ambassador Tower to forward to Washington an autograph letter from King Peter to President Roosevelt informing him of his accession to the throne. Mr. Tower accepted the letter and cabled the fact to Washington. The step taken by King Peter is doubtless designed to bring about a resumption of diplomatic relations between Serbia and the United States which lapsed after the assassination of King Alexander and Queen Draga. John B. Jackson, the United States minister to Greece, Roumania and Serbia, was making a tour of Balkans presenting his credentials at the time of the tragedy at Belgrade and he avoided going to that city on instructions from Washington. Precisely why the Serbian king's letter should have been sent through this embassy instead of at Vienna does not appear.

BEST WAY TO HOT SPRINGS.

Iron Mountain Route from St. Louis or Memphis. New fast train—faster than ever; less than twelve hours from St. Louis. Leaving 8:20 p. m. daily, arrive Hot Springs 8 a. m. Effective Sunday, November 8. Connections from Memphis with this fast service. Low round trip rates year round. Free descriptive books, folders, etc. See ticket agents or address R. T. G. Matthews, T. P. A., Room 202 Equitable Bldg., Louisville, Ky.

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Those who have ever felt its keen, cutting pains, or witnessed the intense suffering of others, know that Rheumatism is torture, and that it is rightly called "The King of Pain."

All do not suffer alike. Some are suddenly seized with the most excruciating pains, and it seems every muscle and joint in the body was being torn asunder. Others feel only occasional slight pains for weeks or months, when a sudden change in the weather or exposure to damp, chilly winds or night air brings on a fierce attack, lasting for days perhaps, and leaving the patient with a weakened constitution or crippled and deformed for all time.

An acid, polluted condition of the blood is the cause of every form and variety of Rheumatism, Muscular, Articular, Acute, Chronic, Inflammatory and Sciatic, and the blood must be purged and purified before there is an end to your aches and pains. External applications, the use of liniments and plasters, do much toward temporary relief, but such treatment does not reach the real cause or cleanse the diseased blood; but S. S. S., the greatest of all blood purifiers and tonics, does cure Rheumatism by antidoting and neutralizing the poisonous acids and building up the weak and sluggish blood. It is safe and reliable in all forms of Rheumatism. It makes the old acid blood rich, and the pain-tortured muscles and joints are relieved, the shattered nerves are made strong, and the entire system is invigorated and toned up by the use of this great vegetable remedy.

If you have Rheumatism, write us, and our physicians will furnish without charge any information desired, and we will mail free our book on Rheumatism.

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KENTUCKY WOMEN ALL OVER THE STATE

Will Start Work for Enforcement of Child Labor Law.

They Will Also Interest Themselves in the Compulsory Education Statute.

NOW INSPECTORS ARE NEEDED

Andrew Ludwig, state inspector of labor, will ask the incoming legislature to allow the commissioner of agriculture and labor two additional labor inspectors, with a view to a stricter enforcement of the state law against child labor.

In addition to the steps which Mr. Ludwig will take to place officially before the legislature the restriction of child labor, the women of Kentucky are bringing active forces to bear in the most effective manner. The Louisville Woman's club; the Civic League, of Lexington; the Consumers' League, of the State-at-large, and the Emergency association have all appointed legislative committees, with instructions to exercise every influence that is available to secure stringent legislation for the protection of the children in Kentucky.

The movement includes not only the prevention of child labor, but also the compulsory education of the young people of the state. The present laws, if enforced, will be effective in freeing the state of the evils which follow the employment of children, but there is no means by which those who are interested from a philanthropic point of view may reap the rewards of their efforts to establish a higher plane of intelligence among the poor class of children.

Mr. H. P. Halleck, of Louisville, president of the Consumers' League of Kentucky, says on this subject:

"Child labor exists. There is a law upon the statute books prohibiting a child under the age of fourteen to work in a factory. Nevertheless there are numbers of children a great many years under fourteen who are still in Kentucky factories working ten hours a day for six days in the week, and sometimes working at night.

"The reason for this is not that the inspectors have failed in their duty, but that two inspectors are insufficient for the state of Kentucky. There were 869 factories visited last year, wherein 42,623 men, women and children were employed. Of these, 807 children were removed. But how many evaded the inspector, how many afterward returned to work, and how many factories went unvisited, are facts not ascertained."

Miss Eleanor M. Tarrant, who is chairman of the child labor committee of the Consumers' League, is also actively interested in the promotion of the work that has been undertaken by the women of the state.

"It is the fault of no one in particular," said Miss Tarrant, "that the children of the state are not more carefully looked after. The laws would be effective if they were enforced but the proper enforcement must be brought about by more men in the field. We want not only that, but we want a law which is not on the statute books. The women of the state are trying for a compulsory education law, and it is that, as well as the enforcement of the child labor law, that has inspired this movement."

WE HAVE on exhibition at studio, 111 South Third street quite a number of pictures for the Kentucky exhibit at world's fair.

Graves County Doctor Wins Malpractice Suit.

Big Liabilities of An Owensboro Company—Fulton Notes.

FIGHT WITH THE EAGLES

CAN DRAW ONLY ONE SALARY.

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 2.—The court of appeals has affirmed the judgment of the Davies circuit court in the case of Davies county vs William Goodwin. Goodwin was a citizen of Davies county and was granted an injunction to prevent County Judge Hoskins, of Davies county, from serving as county supervisor in addition to his duties as county judge. The fiscal court appointed Judge Hoskins to his position at a salary of \$900 a year, and the lower court ruled that he could not accept both salaries. The court of appeals upholds this decision.

THE DOCTOR WON.

Mayfield, Ky., Dec. 2.—The jury in the case of Henry Forth vs J. L. Richardson found for the defendant. Dr. Richardson is a physician at Lowes and was sued by Forth for alleged malpractice, claiming that some time in August the Forth boy broke his arm and Richardson was called in to set it. They claimed that he was unskilled in setting the fracture and that it caused a permanent crippled condition of the arm. The suit was for \$5,000.

ATTACKED BY EAGLES.

Petersburg, Ky., Dec. 2.—Hon. Elijah Parker heard a terrible noise in his barryard and upon investigation found a bunch of gray eagles playing havoc with young pigs and turkeys, while one had in its talons a live rabbit. Parker, armed with a pitchfork, made it lively for the birds for a while but they turned the tables and nearly scratched his eyes out before he escaped.

OWES \$143,360.

Owensboro, Ky., Dec. 2.—The schedule of liabilities of the Roberts Tobacco company, Henderson, which was forced into involuntary bankruptcy as the last term of the federal court, has been filed here.

The firm owes \$143,360.67, and has assets amounting to \$93,177.24. The principal creditor is the old National Bank of Evansville, which holds papers aggregating \$25,000.

DEATH AT FULTON.

Fulton, Ky., Dec. 2.—Mrs. W. C. Webb died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Emma Godwin. Mrs. Webb's home is in Linden, Tenn. She had been visiting here only a few days when stricken with pneumonia. Mrs. Webb leaves a husband, one daughter and four sons. Her remains were taken to Linden this morning for burial.

MARRIAGE IN BALLARD.

Fulton, Ky., Dec. 2.—The marriage of Mr. Ollie Walker to Miss Lela Wilford took place at the bride's home at Barlow, Ky. Mr. Walker is a popular I. O. engineer running between Mounds and Jackson, and a son of Marshal Jesse Walker of Fulton.

MARKED IN A BUGGY.

Fulton, Ky., Dec. 2.—Mr. Charley Black and Miss Deedy Passmore, of near Pierce Station, Tenn., were married while sitting in their buggy at the residence of Esquire J. T. Patrell in South Fulton.

THE NINE FOOT STAGE

First Step Has Now Been Taken.

Condemnation of a Farm for a Lock and Dam to be Built.

Cincinnati, Dec. 2.—The Government has taken its first official step toward a nine foot river from Pittsburgh to Cairo. District Attorney McPherson today brought suit in the United States court for the condemnation of the Gaff farm, which is needed for the lock and dam to be erected in the Ohio river at Cullum's Riffle. The condemnation proceedings can only mean that the dam will be erected by the government, in furtherance of the project to insure a nine foot channel from Pittsburgh to Cairo, and that the work of the dam building will be increased as soon as the legal formalities have been disposed of.

For some weeks the government has been seeking to come to an agreement with the owners of the land and those having interests in it. No progress was made, and the proceedings for condemnation were entered at the suggestion of Col. Lydecker in charge of the United States Engineer's office and the river improvements here. The farm will be taken entire by the government.

The part of it adjacent to the river will form the Ohio abutment of the dam. The land on the Kentucky side has been negotiated for, and Col. Lydecker is confident of securing it without resort to condemnation proceedings, though these will be taken if found necessary. Liberal offers were made for the land on both sides of the river, but these did not satisfy the holders, some of whom raised their figures after it was seen that their land had to be had.

DON'T BE A DONKEY

And waste your winter evenings, when you can be learning to play the Mandolin or Guitar under my instruction. Call and inspect my method; you are welcome. LeRoy L. Lightfoot, room 3. Y. M. C. A. building. Hours 10 a. m. to 8 p. m.



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INTO ICE HARBOR

The Leyhe Fleet is Coming to Paducah.

Several of the Boats Have Started for Winter Quarters.

Ice has appeared in the river at St. Louis, and the Eagle Packet company is preparing to send its fleet to Paducah to go into winter quarters. Navigation above St. Louis has been suspended.

The Beld Eagle, Capt. Girardeau and Spread Eagle were due to leave St. Louis for Paducah yesterday.

George Keith, C. B. Zeigler and Luther Brashear are to be the pilots. Capt. Leyhe will probably accompany the boats. The company sends many boats and barges to Paducah every winter to take advantage of our excellent ice harbor.



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Personally appeared before me this
day H. J. Paxton, general manager of
The Sun, who affirms that the above
statement of the circulation of The
Sun for the month of Nov., 1903, is true
to the best of his knowledge and belief.
PETER PURYEAR,
Notary Public McCracken County.
My commission expires at the end of
the next session of the senate.
Dec. 1, 1903.

DAILY THOUGHT.
One loses all the time which he
might employ to better purpose.—
Rousseau.

REPUDIATING CORRUPTION.

The summary action of the Republi-
can administration in the postoffice
frauds, and the caustic denunciation of
the alleged grafters, shows conclusively
to the people of the United States
where the Republican party stands on
the question of corruption in politics.
There are bound to be men in all
parties who will yield to the tempta-
tions and opportunities of public office,
and no intelligent man can consistently
claim that it is a bad showing for a
party when after a most exhaustive
investigation only about thirty out of
thousands upon thousands of officials
and employees of the postoffice depart-
ment were found to be connected di-
rectly or indirectly with grafting.
What President Roosevelt says in com-
menting on the report of General Bris-
tow is endorsed by the Republican par-
ty, and his sound, sensible observa-
tions may aptly apply to public offices
in state, county and city, as well as
nation. He says, among other things:
"No crime calls for sterner reproba-
tion than the crime of the corruption-
ist in public life, and of the man who
seeks to corrupt him. The bribe giver
and the bribe taker are equally guilty.
Both alike sin against the primary
law of the state's safety. All questions
of difference in party policy sink into
insignificance when the people of this
country are brought face to face with
a question like this, which lies at the
root of honest and decent government.
On this question and on all others like
it, we can afford to have no division
among good citizens. In the last re-
sult good laws and good administra-
tion alike must rest upon the broad
basis of sound public opinion. A dull
public conscience, an easy going ac-
quiescence in corruption, infallibly
means debasement in public life, and
such debasement in the end means the
ruin of free institutions. Self-govern-
ment becomes a farce if the represen-
tatives of the people corrupt others or
are themselves corrupted. Freedom
is not a gift which will tarry long in
the hands of the dishonest or of those
so foolish or so incompetent as to toler-
ate dishonesty in their public servants.
Under our system all power comes
from the people and all punishment
rests ultimately with the people. The
toleration of the wrong, not the ex-
posure of the wrong, is the real
offense."

THE EIGHT HOUR LAW.
The United States supreme court

has affirmed the constitutionality of
the eight hour law of the state of Kan-
sas, which is designed to regulate labor
on public works. In delivering the
opinion Justice Harlan declared that
the law is harmful, but that if Kan-
sas wants it, it is nobody's business
but her own. The law in ques-
tion was passed in 1891, and provides
that eight hours should constitute a
day's work for workmen employed by
or on behalf of the state, or by any
county or city or other municipality
in the state. It also prohibits contrac-
tors from requiring laborers engaged
on work for the state to perform more
than eight hours' labor in a day.

One W. W. Atkins had a paving
contract with Kansas City, and was
prosecuted in the state courts for re-
quiring a workman to labor ten hours
a day. He was convicted, and ap-
pealed from the decision of the state
supreme court to the federal supreme
court, alleging that the statute is in
violation of the first section of the
fourteenth amendment to the constitu-
tion in that it denied him due protec-
tion of the law and deprived him of
his property without due process.

The opinion just rendered will prob-
ably encourage labor interests to work
for similar laws in other states.

The Sun can stand the compliments
passed on it by members of the board
of education. Owing to the way the
board has had it rubbed into it for the
past several months, and the sad fact
that it has been repudiated by its par-
ty and the people, The Sun will not
attempt to add to its discomfiture.
The Sun has always stood for good
schools. Ever since the school board
built the new school on West Broad-
way, and according to contractors al-
lowed the taxpayers to be skinned on
the price, leaving us with twice too
much room in one place while other
parts of the city suffer for room, The
Sun has pointed out the imprudence
of some acts of the school boards.
Ever since certain Democratic mem-
bers injected politics into the school
board The Sun has been called upon
from time to time to point out mis-
takes as it saw them, and it seems to
have been right, judging from the
light in which the voters looked at it.
Like the poor innocent little calf, the
board took too much rope, which
proved its undoing. We have no de-
sire to jump on a thing when it is
down. It might be pertinent to ob-
serve, however, that the voters put the
school board in office and then put it
out again and we are willing to abide
by the decision. Fitting obsequies
will be held the latter part of the
month. Bretherin, don't forget the
flowers, for they're likely to be
rather "skase."

Colombia's evident desire to "craw-
fish" will not be productive of satis-
factory results. The diminutive gov-
ernment was given fair warning in
due time that it would be advisable to
ratify the canal treaty. By doing it
she would have received \$10,000,000
cash, half a million a year, and the
benefits of the canal. Now she will
probably get nothing—except a good
spanking if she does not behave.

Some idea of the extent of St. Lou-
is grafting may be conceived from the
fact that the families of the various
asylum and hospital employees were be-
ing furnished provisions from the
storehouse, some of the employees were
getting a rake-off from contractors who
sold provisions, and not satisfied with
this, groceries were regularly traded
to neighboring saloon keepers for beer.

The question of paying the school
teachers a full month's pay during De-
cember did not come up at the meet-
ing of the school board last night as some
of the members desired to go to the
show, and entirely forgot about the
salary question in their hurry over
the more important matter—getting
away to the show.

If Mr. Bryan should be nominated
again by the Democrats it would only
greatly increase the crop of Republi-
cans. There are a lot of old line Dem-
ocrats who would want no better ex-
cuse to join the Republican ranks.

Despite Chicago's now noted boy
bandits, St. Louis is still ahead, for
more bootleggers and grafters are being
discovered in the Future Great every
day.

Hotel Lagomarsino was not open-
ed yesterday, contrary to expectation,
but will be as soon as possible. It may
be two weeks until the handsome
hostelry is again ready for business.

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man's Life—It Brings Relief and
Permanent Cure to Pain and
Backache and Cures All
Diseases of Women.

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ANY WOMAN.

For 30 years Zoa Phora has been the
safe, ever-ready, ever-reliable stand-by
for the sickly women. It quickly and
permanently cures all male trouble, pain
or irregularity caused by disease or
weakness of the pelvic organs, leucor-
rhea, displacement, ulceration or in-
flammation or derangement. In the
change from maidenhood to womanhood
or in the later change of life, Zoa Phora
brings the sickly woman through to per-
fect health and strength. It is a con-
stant support and strengthening tonic
for mothers and makes the hour of
maternity almost free from pain and
agony. To the frail mother in the days
of recovery Zoa Phora brings health,
strength and vigor and tones the nerves.
To women in constant dread of the ap-
proach of pain and sickness Zoa Phora
brings relief and comfort.

The following extract from a letter
received from Mrs. Helen Pelz, 15 Lynn
St., Cleveland, O., will be of interest to
all women afflicted with female weak-
ness: "I have found Zoa Phora to be
all you claim for it. I had abscess of
the ovary, accompanied by severe pain
in the back, headache, and was very
nervous. I had doctored incessantly
without relief, and continued to grow
worse instead of better, until finally I
was induced to try Zoa Phora. I am
glad that I did so, as Zoa Phora has
cured me sound and well and too much
cannot be said in its praise."

Zoa Phora is sold by all druggists in
one dollar bottles. Write the Zoa Phora
Co., Kalamazoo, Mich., for a free trial
bottle and copy of their illustrated
medical book, "Dr. Pengelly's Advice
to Women." The doctor will gladly
give free special advice when needed.

D. A. R. ELECT OFFICERS

Mrs. H. S. Wells Chosen Regent
of the Local Chapter.

Retiring Regent Becomes Vice Regent
in Meeting Yesterday Afternoon
—Other Officers Elected.

AN INTERESTING MEETING

The Paducah chapter D. A. R., at
its regular monthly meeting with
Mrs. Stanley DeBois, yesterday after-
noon held its annual election of offi-
cers. The terms of the old officers
had expired and new ones were chosen
altogether.

Mrs. H. S. Wells, vice regent was
elected regent, succeeding Mrs. M. B.
Nash, who has held the office the full
term of two years. Mrs. Nash was
chosen vice regent. Mrs. Wells is one
of the brightest, most efficient and
most enthusiastic members of the
chapter and her election was a well
deserved compliment. Mrs. Nash has
made a most faithful and capable offi-
cer, and it was a matter of regret to
the members of the chapter that her
term had expired.

The other officers elected were: Miss
Emily Morrow, secretary; Mrs. George
O. Thompson, treasurer; Mrs. Stanley
DeBois, registrar; Mrs. Robert Hicks,
historian, and Mrs. Sallie Morrow,
chaplain.

A program for the year was arrang-
ed and historical papers will be read
at each meeting. The retiring regent
made a motion, which was adopted, to
have a silver plate inscribed with a
presentation to the chapter, by the late
Mrs. S. O. Vaughan, while regent of
the chapter, with her name engraved
upon it as a memorial of her. The in-
terests of the chapter were very near
to Mrs. Vaughan's heart, and the lit-
tle testimonial is very fitting.

MILLIONAIRE'S POOR STOMACH

The worn out stomach of the over-
fed millionaire is often paraded in the
public prints as a horrible example of
the evils attendant on the possession
of great wealth. But millionaires are
not the only ones who are afflicted
with bad stomachs. The proportion
is far greater among the toilers. Dys-
pepsia and indigestion are rampant
among these people, and they suffer
far worse tortures than the millionaire
unless they avail themselves of a
standard medicine like Green's August
Flower, which has been a favorite
household remedy for all stomach
troubles for over thirty-five years.
August Flower cures the torpid liver,
thus creating appetite and insuring
perfect digestion. It tones and vital-
izes the entire system and makes life
worth living, no matter what you sta-
tion. Trial bottles, 25c; regular size,
75c. For sale by DuBois, Kaib & Co.

Mrs. Robert Lane formerly of Pa-
ducah is seriously ill at her home in
Louisville of heart disease.

HOW A NEWSPAPER SAVES YOU YOUR MONEY

We have economized in one way,
said a housekeeper on a small salary.
We have cut off our daily newspaper.
You may think it is economy, but I
do not agree with you, was the reply
of the friend to whom he was talking,
says the Pueblo Chieftian. Have you
ever counted up on what you can save
by following the newspaper adver-
tisements? Our paper has cost us two
cents a day and we make it pay us.
When we moved here we were paying
twenty five cents for butter, seventeen
cents for meat, etc., because we were
ignorant. My wife subscribed for the
paper one day because some canvasser
asked her to do so. She began reading
the advertisements and we went in-
vestigating. Soon we were able to
get butter at eighteen cents and meat
at twelve and one half cents, just as
good as we had been paying for at a
higher price. How much she saved
by watching the big dry goods sales I
have no idea.

That was practically a conversation
that occurred in this city between two
persons, and what the second speaker

stated was true. He and his family
had made money by having a daily
paper and also had kept abreast of
the news of the news of the day.
A great many people regard their
newspaper as a luxury, a thing to be
dispensed with at every turn of ill
luck. They do not realize until they
have to do without it how much of a
necessity it is to them. The neces-
sity of a daily paper in the household
is becoming recognized more and
more, and no doubt accounts for the
fact that such papers are becoming
more generally read and better in
every way.

The women of the country are tak-
ing a larger interest in them now that
they are expected to know what is
going on in the world. In consequence
the advertisements are read more
than formerly. The merchants are
recognizing this and are directing
their advertisements in that way. It
is only in late years that the big de-
partment store advertisements have
appeared, and they are a sure indica-
tion of the tendency of the times.

TO DEMINISH DANGER ON PULLMAN SLEEPERS

From the Chicago Record-Herald.

Improvements are continually being
made in the service of the Pullman
company with a view to reducing the
danger which exists of contracting
diseases while traveling in sleeping
cars. Experiments are now being con-
ducted with a new vacuum or suction
process for cleaning cars and their fur-
nishings. The experiments thus far
apparently indicate that the new pro-
cess will almost, if not entirely, erad-
icate disease germs, if not entirely, so
that when Pullmans start on fresh
journeys there will be no danger of
contagion.

The present method of cleaning the
interior of cars is by compressed air
forced through a tube, which blows
all the dust and dirt away. In addi-
tion to this there is a treatment of for-
maldehyde gas. The blowing pro-
cess, however, may fail to eradicate
all dust and disease germs, some of
which are liable to re-settle in the car.
In the vacuum process the mouth of
the hose is run over the surface of the
car, the seats, carpets, curtains and
bedding, and the suction draws every
particle of dirt out and deposits it in a

closed receptacle. Also with a view
to reducing the danger of contagion
the Pullman company has adopted a
standard berth curtain of imported
mohair and of beautiful green hue.

Another innovation has been adopt-
ed in the bedding. In order to obviate
contact with blankets, which are
apt to carry disease germs should the
cleaning chance to be defective, the
sheets are now made eighteen inches
longer than the blankets, so that they
can be folded back over the blankets,
thus preventing contact with the lat-
ter.

Officials of the Pullman company
have sent statistics to the New York
legislature to refute the statement
made that in one year 795 people were
killed in Pullman cars and 1550 in-
jured in that state alone, due to weak
construction of cars. The records
show that during the year ending Sep-
tember 1 last not a single passenger
was killed in a Pullman in the state
of New York. The statement further
shows that during the last three years
the Pullman company carried 22,369,-
841 people in the United States, dur-
ing which time six people were killed
and 64 slightly injured.

SAYS HE HAS KILLED TWENTY OR MORE MEN

Chicago, Dec. 2—Chief of Police
O'Neill states that Charles Kruger, in
jail at Greensburg, Pa., has confessed
to the murder of Policemen Pennell
and Devine in Chicago. According
to Chief O'Neill, Kruger has also con-
fessed to the murder of sixteen other
persons in Kentucky and the east.
The prisoner was arrested on the
charge of burglary originally and has
been sentenced to be hanged January
14, 1904.

The confession is worthy of much
credit Chief O'Neill says, particularly
in view of the fact that there is a faith-
fulness to details which would be al-
most impossible had the man not been
present at the time of the crime. In
his confession Kruger states that he
came to Chicago in order to escape the
consequences of crimes committed in
the east, and reaching the city in a
destitute condition, he, with an ac-
complice, started on a holdup tour,
when they encountered Pennell and
Devine, and the shooting ensued.

NO OWNER FOUND.

Mr. Will Coleman, of the Wallace
Park section, who found a watch in a
tree while hickory nutting several
days ago, has as yet found no owner.
The watch stopped at 6:30 but since
in Mr. Coleman's possession has run
excellently and is a good time piece.

Mr. J. Flournoy has returned from
a business trip to Louisville.

CAN'T FIND SUITABLE HORSES.

Chief Woods and Dr. H. O. Warner,
who are trying to buy two fire de-
partment horses, have not yet found
any to suit them although they are
daily inspecting many. Some suited
in one respect but the price asked is
too high.

Mrs. W. K. Penge and son, George,
have gone to Paris, Mo., for a visit.

NEW GAME LAWS

Representative Sportsmen Met
at Louisville.

Alleged Not to Be Sufficient Protection
to Game and Fish.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 2—Twenty-
five representative sportsmen of the
state met yesterday at the Louisville
hotel to formulate plans by which bet-
ter protection may be afforded the fish
and game of Kentucky. It was decid-
ed to enlist the aid of the next legisla-
ture by having a state game warden
appointed as is the case in a number
of states.

The meeting was called by Mr.
George O. Long, of Hopkinsville, and
Dr. F. W. Samuels, of this city, is in
charge of arrangements for the accom-
modation of the visitors. The fact
that there was not sufficient protec-
tion for fish and game in Kentucky
has been under discussion among
sportsmen for some time, and it was
considered necessary to hold this meet-
ing and arrange for a concerted action
in the matter. There is a sentiment
among the gentlemen attending the
meeting which provides for the enlist-
ment of the aid of naturalists and men
who are interested in the preservation
of birds not from the standpoint of
sport alone.

PADUCAHAN'S WIN

THEY WILL BRECK THE NEW
WICKLIFFE COURTHOUSE.

Messrs. J. M. Dunlap and B. E. De-
vis, composing the contracting firm
of Dunlap & Davis, were the success-
ful bidders on the Wickliffe courthouse.
Mr. Dunlap having captured the con-
tract yesterday at Wickliffe over sev-
eral prominent firms from larger cit-
ies.

The bid placed by the local firm was
\$27,000, and the contract is a credit
to the enterprise of the local contrac-
tors. They will begin immediately
on the work and hope to push it to
completion by July 1. The building
is to be two stories in height and mod-
ern in every respect.

Among the many bidders on the
work two prominent contractors from
St. Louis were present, one from Lou-
isville, one from Henderson and one
from Fulton. Not only was the Pa-
ducah firm's bid the lowest, but it had
better provisions than the other con-
tractors offered.

OFFICIAL VOTE

60,019 PEOPLE OF THE SATE
VOTED FOR IT.

Mr. Peyton N. Clarke, of Louisville,
who conducted the campaign as secre-
tary for the committee of the State
Commercial Convention for the amend-
ment to the Constitution has received
from the Election Commission a cer-
tificate of the passage of the amend-
ment. The certificate gives the
official vote for the amendment as
60,019, and the vote against it as
41,282. Judge O. S. Grubb, of this
city, was present at the counting of
the amendment vote before the com-
mission.

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...FRAMES

We make frames to order.
Bring your pictures in and have
your frames made to order. It
only takes a few minutes to have
a frame made. Come and see
what a nice line we have to
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FOR SALE OR RENT—My residence 3001 Jefferson street. G. R. Noble, Rural route No. 1. Phone 885, white.

FOR RENT—Two up stairs office rooms next to corner of Fourth and Broadway streets. For terms apply to Sam Houston.

WANTED—To buy two second hand spring wagons and also one thimble skid wagon. Must be in good repair. Apply to Jake Bie-ferman Grocery Co.

WANTED—Canvassers. Small article. Household necessity. Good pay. Call Friday and Saturday between 4 and 6 p. m. Frank Wolton, St. Nicholas Hotel.

LOCAL LINES.

FOR DR. PENDLEY ring 416

BUY COAL of W. A. Martin & Co. (W. A. Martin and Pat O'Brien.) Phone 661. All kinds of Ky. coal.

A NEW LINE of monogram stationery just received at R. D. Clements & Co.

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—The place just now for Christmas things is The Kentucky Glass and Queensware Co.

—Rev. J. H. Roberts, presiding elder of the Paducah district of the Methodist church, will preach tonight at the Trimble street Methodist church.

—The prettiest things for Christmas gifts are found at The Kentucky Glass and Queensware company. The prices too are surprisingly low.

—The regular prayer meeting will be held at the First Presbyterian church tonight. The heaters have been repaired and the church will be warm.

—Don't forget to look in at The Kentucky Glass and Queensware Co's when down looking for Christmas things. A host of pretty things are to be found there.

—W. C. T. U. will hold a business meeting Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at its headquarters in the Y. M. C. A.

—The election of officers for Olive Camp, Woodmen of the World, takes place next week. A number of persons have been nominated for the various positions.

—The Eley Dry Goods company has received another shipment of cloaks and furs which the ladies will do well to see as they have the opportunity here of getting some splendid things at a bargain.

—The funeral of Mrs. Julius Looser took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence, 431 South Sixth street. The burial was at the Jewish cemetery.

—Mr. Eley, of the Eley Dry Goods company, has just returned from the east with another big line of cloaks and furs among which are a number of most excellent garments which will be sold at most inviting prices.

—Charles Allison, who has been in the city hospital suffering from a broken spine, will this afternoon be taken home to Bowling Green. He is

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able to sit up a little but will never be able to walk.

—The teachers of the Broadway Methodist Sunday school will meet Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock with Mr. and Mrs. John U. Robinson at their home on North Eighth street.

—Mr. Eley, of the Eley Dry Goods company, has just returned from the East where he purchased another line of cloaks and furs, and invites the ladies to come to inspect them. The line comprises a number of excellent garments and those who have not as yet purchased will do well to see them.

—As stated several days ago by the Sun, the paving of the streets will end until spring when Third street is finished. The time limit for completing the seven blocks expired Nov. 15th but on account of unavoidable delays the contractor will be granted extension by the city.

Special Officer Dick Tolbert thinks he caught the king coal thief. This morning he arrested Will McDonald, colored, with a whole load of coal alleged to have been taken from the I. O. yards. The negro claims he picked it up but the officer says the coal was stolen. McDonald will be given a hearing tomorrow in police court.

MARRY TONIGHT.

MR. CHARLES GREER AND MISS LILLIE VOGT TO WED.

Mr. Charles Greer, Jr., and Miss Lillie Irene Vogt, two well known and popular young people of the South Side will tonight be married by Rev. W. E. Oave at his residence on North Seventh street. The marriage was intended as a surprise but leaked out this afternoon.

Mr. Greer is the son of Mr. Charles Greer, the butcher of South Third street, and is one of the most popular young men in the city. His bride is the daughter of Mr. Joseph Vogt, of South 12th street, the well known tailor at Weiler's, and is one of the most attractive and popular young ladies in the city. They will be married at 8 o'clock and will reside at the residence of the groom.

Mrs. Mike Caldwell arrived from Mayfield today a noon.

"JU-T RUN ACROSS"

SOME PEOPLE ARE LUCKY.

Some people make an intelligent study of food and get on the right track (pure food) and others are lucky enough to stumble upon the right way out of the difficulty just as a Philadelphia young woman did.

She says: "I had suffered terribly from nervous indigestion, everything seemed to disagree with me and I was on the point of starvation when one day I happened to run across a demonstration of Postum Food Coffee at one of the big stores here.

"I took a sample home and a sample of Grape Nuts as well and there tried them again and found they agreed with me perfectly. For months I made them my main diet and as the result I am restored to my former perfect health and can eat everything I want to.

"When I spoke to my physician about Grape Nuts he said 'It is a most excellent food.' Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason.

Look for the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville," in every package of both Postum and Grape Nuts.

People and Pleasant Events.

DIED IN LOGAN COUNTY.

Hon. John K. Hendrick has received news of the death of his aunt, Mrs. Ada Drake in Logan county. She was 75 years old and was born in Halifax county, Va. She was a sister of the late Judge Caswell Bennett. She left a husband and a son, Dr. A. C. Drake of Central City and a daughter, Mrs. Joe Beauchamp of Logan county.

MARRIAGE TONIGHT.

The marriage of Miss Alice McCarty and Rev. H. K. Berry will take place this evening at the Tenth street Christian church. Rev. W. H. Pinkerton will perform the ceremony.

ENTERTAINED AT CARDS.

Mrs. Lou Herring entertained at cards last evening at their home on South Third street in honor of Mr. and Mrs. W. Percy Jordan, who were married recently in Fulton.

SANS SOUCI CLUB.

The Sans Souci club will be entertained tomorrow afternoon by Miss Lillian Rudy at the residence of Mrs. Charles B. Hatfield, Seventh and Monroe streets.

S. S. CLUB MEETS.

The S. S. club will be entertained Friday evening by Mrs. Frank Boyd at her home on North Fifth street.

CLUB MEETING.

The Wednesday Afternoon club is meeting this afternoon with Miss Irma Hecht of West Broadway.

Miss Katie Overstreet left this afternoon for Memphis.

Mr. Henry Arenz has returned from a visit to Chicago and other cities.

Attorney Denis Mooknot went to Frankfort today at noon on legal business.

Mr. Nat F. Dortch, of Louisville, a prominent tobacco man, is in the city on business.

Mrs. Ella Bowden has returned to Flora, Ill., after visiting her son, Mr. Allen Bowden.

Mr. Gus Singleton has returned from Hopkinsville and Elston. Mrs. Singleton will return Friday from visiting in Clarksville, Tenn.

Mrs. Charles Emery and Dr. Florence Meder, of Hopkinsville, returned home today at noon after a visit to Mrs. Emery's mother.

FINGER CUT OFF

BLOODY MESSAGE WITH THREAT SENT TO ADJUTANT GENERAL.

Denver, Col., Dec. 2.—Adjutant-General Sherman M. Bell today received from Telluride the following letter wrapped around a human finger: "General Bell—We send you the finger of a man who disappeared from Telluride some time ago. His ears will follow and then his head. If his friends want to see him again in any other way but the way we send him, you have got to do one thing. We only want you to withdraw the troops from Telluride at once. If you don't you will receive his ears in a few days. Don't try to find us, for it is not in the power of a tin soldier to do it.

Signed: "S. D."

A physician who examined the finger pronounced it the ring finger from the right hand and said it was evidently cut off shortly before the letter was mailed.

General Bell turned the letter over to the postoffice inspectors, who will endeavor to trace its author. It is generally believed at the capital that the matter was intended as a hoax.

The executive board of the Western Federation of Miners in session in this city today sent a telegram to Guy E. Miller, president of the Telluride Miners' union, directing him to advise all men who were ordered to leave town as a result of alleged vagrancy trials to remain in Telluride. The telegram stated that the action of the justices of the peace and other county and state officials was unconstitutional and that action under the federal law would be taken against the officials concerned.

The board's action is the result of the arrest yesterday by the sheriff at Telluride of 28 idle men.

And immediately.

R. S. Braniger, a Maryville (Mo.) merchant, accidentally picked up a live tarantula in one of his show windows the other day. When he discovered what he had hold of he let go.

Recast Spent Bullets.

Bullets shot in military target practice nowadays are caught on an inclined surface made of sheet iron back of the target, are remelted and become bullets again.

IN THE LOCAL COURTS

Palmer Transfer Co's Case Left Open.

Young Man Threatened His Prospective Brother-in-Law with Death.

HAPPENINGS IN OTHER COURTS

POLICE COURT.

The most important case before Police Judge D. L. Sanders today was that against the Palmer Transfer company for obstructing the public highway at Eleventh and Broadway with hacks waiting for the Cairo and St. Louis trains.

The other hackmen claimed that it is a case of "freeze out." In many cases when street cars were coming the streets it is alleged, would be practically blocked by the transfer company's hacks, leaving no place for other hacks.

Judge Sanders stated he would not decide the case today but would leave it open until tomorrow morning when he would be better prepared to make a decision. "I want to look up some ordinances in regard to hacks," he stated, "and if I find that no ordinance is in effect governing this matter I will recommend to council to pass one and stop all this hack business which has been before me time and time again."

Charles McCarty, a young man of the south side, was fined \$35 and costs in one case and \$5 and costs in another for threatening to shoot or kill Rev. H. K. Berry and for being drunk and disorderly.

A sister of the young man is to be married this evening to Rev. H. K. Berry, and the young man yesterday, while drinking, it is alleged, decided that he didn't want her to marry and decided he would kill the intended groom and thus prevent it. Friends interfered and he was arrested. He today pleaded guilty, and regretted yesterday's affair very much.

In addition to the fine assessed against McCarty he was recognized in the sum of \$300 for his good behavior towards Rev. Berry for a period of twelve months.

ad police court

Nora Smith and Willie Hite, white, were fined \$30 and costs each for using obscene and vulgar language.

The drunk charge against John Cooper, white, was dismissed.

The vagrancy charges against Hewitt Jones, Tom Burnett and Sterling Fitzgerald, colored, were continued.

Ed Powell, colored, was fined \$1 and costs for drunkenness.

The case against Allie Morton, colored, for stealing provisions from Mrs. Albert Martin, was left open.

Two cases against Rufus Jones, colored, for presenting and carrying a pistol were left open.

CIRCUIT COURT.

In the case of Rudolph, adm., against L. E. Roark, a judgment for sale was filed.

In the case of Bettie Buckner against L. F. Davis, judgment for sale was filed.

A judgment for sale was filed in the case of J. H. Whitney against J. W. Mobley and others.

A judgment for \$5 was filed in the case of W. Y. Noble against Mason Stanley and the case stricken.

The case of Rudolph, administrator of Carper against Ed Crutchenfield, was dismissed.

Theo W. Stone, receiver for the Electrical Mutual Casualty association of Philadelphia, filed suit in circuit court against the Paducah Street Railway company to recover \$3,708 alleged to be due as premiums on insurance.

The Fidelity Trust company, trustees, filed a suit against Mary Caldwell and others to sell land to distribute.

A copy of Oscar Turner's will was filed in county court for the purpose of settling divisions of property.

Ella T. Sanders deeds to the Standard Tie company, for \$100 property near Monroe and 10th streets.

REMOVED FOR SAFE KEEPING.

Munfordville, Ky., Dec. 2.—The county judge today ordered Ouster Gardner taken to Bowling Green on the first train. There is again strong mob talk in the Pikeview neighborhood.

"This place is bound to be the leading suburban property in the state." "How do you know?" "The agent told me so."—Detroit Free Press.

HAPPY AND HEALTHY.

A Beautiful Canadian Girl Saved From Catarrh of the Lungs by Pe-ru-na.



MISS FLORENCE KENAH.

Miss Florence E. Kenah, 434 Maria street, Ottawa, Ont., writes:

"A few months ago I caught a severe cold, which settled on my lungs and remained there so persistently that I became alarmed. I took medicine without benefit, until my digestive organs became upset, and my head and back began to ache severely and frequently. I was advised to try Peruna, and although I had little faith I felt so sick that I was ready to try anything. It brought me blessed relief at once, and I felt that I had the right medicine at last. Within three weeks I was completely restored and have enjoyed perfect health since."

R. E. KENAH.

WOMEN should beware of contracting catarrh. The cold wind and rain, sleet and mud of winter are especially conducive to catarrhal derangements. Few women escape.

Upon the first symptoms of catching cold Peruna should be taken. It fortifies the system against colds and catarrh.

The following letter gives one young woman's experience with Peruna:

Miss Rose Gerbing is a popular society woman of Crown Point, Ind., and she writes the following:

"Recently I took a long drive in the country, and being thinly clad I caught a bad cold which settled on my lungs, and which I could not seem to shake off. I had heard a great deal of Peruna for colds and catarrh and I bought a bottle to try. I am pleased that I did, for it brought speedy relief. It only took about two bottles, and I considered this money well spent.

"You have a firm friend in me, and I not only advise its use to my friends, but have purchased several bottles to give to those without the means to buy, and have noticed without exception that it has brought about a speedy cure wherever it has been used."—Miss Rose Gerbing.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

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Night Prices: \$1.00, 75c, 50c, 35c, 25c.

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Matinee for white people only—adults 50 cents, children 25 cents.

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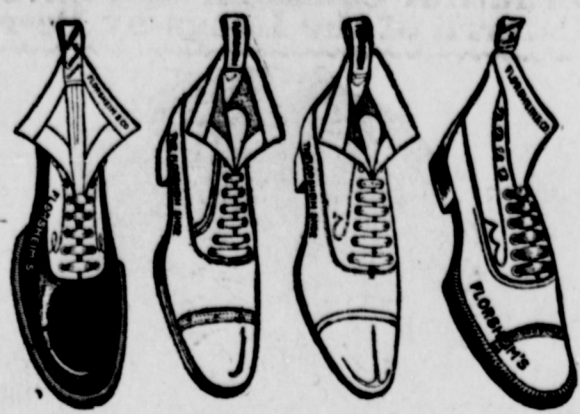
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OUR RAILROADS

The Report Shows Good Increase
in Value.

Not Quite Forty Miles of New Road
Built During Year.

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 2.—The State Railroad Commission today made its annual report to Gov. Beckham of the railroad mileage in Kentucky, the valuation per mile and the total valuation placed on mileage and other property for the purpose of taxation. The report is made as of this date, and the tax is due to be paid immediately.

The total value placed on the tangible property of the railroad corporations by the State Commission is \$52,253,266, which is an increase over the valuation of the year 1902 of \$308,882. The increase in mileage during the year was only a fraction above thirty-nine miles, increasing the total mileage in the state to 3,189 miles. Of the new trackage twenty-eight miles was built by the Louisville and Atlantic Railway company, five miles by the Licking River Railroad company and six miles by the Middleboro Railroad company.

A FOOL AND A WOMAN.

She never cared for him
Until there came a day
When he fell in love with her
And acted in such a way
As to fill his astonished friends
With feelings of dismay.
Men used to honor him
For the good sense he had,
But he fell in love with her
And carried on like mad,
And the people saw, amazed,
And said it was too bad,
Then she that had never cared
And had turned to other men
Would deign to smile sometimes,
For being a woman, when,
She had made a fool of the man
She rather liked him then.
—Exchange.

COUGHING SPEEL

CAUSED DEATH.

"Harry Duckwell, aged 25 years, choked to death early yesterday morning at his home, in the presence of his wife and child. He contracted a slight cold a few days ago and paid but little attention to it. Yesterday morning he was seized with a fit of coughing which continued for some time. His wife sent for a physician, but before he could arrive, another coughing spell came on and Duckwell died from suffocation.—St. Louis Globe Democrat, Dec. 1, 1901." Ballard's Horehound Syrup would have saved him. 25c, 50c and \$1 at DuBois, Kolb & Co.

SENATOR LODGE

WILL MAKE AN EFFORT TO RE-
DUCE IMMIGRATION.

Washington, Dec. 1. — Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, has introduced a bill in congress which aims at a more effective exclusion of the undesirable element in the tide of immigration into this country. Mr. Lodge is a member of the immigration committee. Senator Lodge will propose the exclusion of all persons over the age of 15 who can neither read or write.

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THE STAGES.

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Cincinnati, 8.2—0.4 fall
Evansville, 7.8—0.7 fall
Florence, 0.2—0.0 stand
Johnsville, 0.2—0.0 fall
Louisville, 5.0—0.3 fall
Mt. Carmel, 0.8—0.0 stand
Nashville, 2.1—0.2 stand
Pittsburg, 3.7—0.2 stand
Davis Island Dam, 4.1—0.1 stand
St. Louis, 6.0—0.1 stand
Paducah, 5.9—0.1 stand

The Key City is laying up.

The Kuttawa is due out of the Ohio river.

The Dudley is today's Evansville packet.

The Hook went into Tennessee river yesterday.

The Ten Broeck is due from Uniontown today.

The Clyde will leave tonight for Tennessee river.

The Cora Bell went into Tennessee after a raft today.

The Fowler cleared on time for Cairo this morning.

The Charleston went out this morning into Tennessee river.

The Tennessee is due tomorrow or Friday from Tennessee river.

The Dunbar arrived from Evansville last night and left late on return trip.

The Savannah passed up into Tennessee river last night with a good trip.

The Memphis arrived out of Tennessee river this morning with a good trip.

The Battorf is due from Clarksville today and will leave on arrival for Nashville.

Paducah's ice harbor will soon be a popular place for the boats that lay up during the winter.

Captain J. W. Smith, of Owensboro, is here today and will take the Thomas Parker, which he recently bought to Owensboro.

The big Sprague has been laid up at Jopka and will come to Paducah today to lay up for more water. The report that she passed down with a large tow was an error.

The big towboats Harry Brown and Boaz have been hung up at the Sis Islands and the Finley left her tow at Caseville and came down to assist them off. It is expected that they will get loose and pass down today or in a short time, at the most.

THE WORM WILL TURN.

St. Louis, Dec. 2.—Because she was forced to wear her husband's clothes and go about working to support herself and her husband as well, Mrs. Lillie G. Allred, who recently moved here from Owensboro, Ky., was granted a divorce from Edward Allred. Another charge against her husband was that he had refused to kiss her for ten years.

BE WISE and have your sitting made now for your Xmas pictures. Don't wait until the last minute. Cloudy weather may prevent you from getting them at all. Riley & Cook

The SKY PILOT

By RALPH CONNOR

Author of

"The Man From Glengarry" "Glengarry School Days" and "Black Rock"

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"Gwen," said the Pilot as if changing the subject, "did I hurt to put on the plaster jacket?"

"You just bet!" said Gwen, laughing in her English, as the Duke was not present. "It was worse than anything—awful! They had to strap ten men out, you know." And she shouldered at the memory of that pain.

"What a pity your father or the Duke was not here!" said the Pilot earnestly. "Why, they were both here!"

"What a cruel shame!" burst out the Pilot. "Don't they care for you any more?"

"Of course they do," said Gwen indignantly.

"Why didn't they stop the doctors from hurting you so cruelly?"

"Why, they let the doctors. It is going to help me to sit up and perhaps to walk about a little," answered Gwen, with blue gray eyes open wide.

"Oh," said the Pilot. "It was very mean to stand by and see you hurt like that."

"Why, you silly," replied Gwen impatiently, "they want my back to get straight and strong."

"Oh, then they didn't do it just for fun or for nothing?" said the Pilot innocently.

Gwen gazed at him in amazed and speechless wrath, and he went on:

"I mean they love you though they let you be hurt, or, rather, they let the doctors hurt you because they loved you and wanted to make you better."

Gwen kept her eyes fixed with curious earnestness upon his face till the light began to dawn.

"Do you mean," she began slowly, "that though God let me fall he loves me?"

The Pilot nodded. He could not trust his voice.

"I wonder if that can be true," she said, as if to herself, and soon we said goodbye and came away—the Pilot limp and voiceless, but I triumphant, for I began to see a little light for Gwen.

But the fight was by no means over. Indeed it was hardly well begun. For when the autumn came, with its misty, purple days, most glorious of all days in the cattle country, the old restlessness came back and the fierce refusal of her lot. Then came the day of the round up. Why should she have to stay while all went after the cattle? The Duke would have remained, but she impatiently sent him away. She was weary and heartsick, and worst of all, she began to feel that most terrible of burdens, the burden of her life to others. I was much relieved when the Pilot came in fresh and bright waving a bunch of wild flowers in his hand.

"I thought they were all gone!" he cried. "Where do you think I found them? Right down by the big elm root." And, though he saw by the settled gloom of her face that the storm was coming, he went bravely on picturing the canyon in all the splendor of its autumn dress. But the spell would not work. Her heart was out on the sloping hills, where the cattle were bunching and crowding with tossing heads and rattling horns, and it was in a voice very bitter and impatient that she cried:

"Oh, I am sick of all this! I want to ride! I want to see the cattle and the men and—and all the things outside." The Pilot was cowboy enough to know the longing that tugged at her heart for one wild race after the calves or steers, but he could only say:

"Wait, Gwen. Try to be patient."

"I am patient; at least I have been patient for two whole months, and it's no use, and I don't believe God cares one bit!"

"Yes, he does, Gwen, more than any of us," replied the Pilot earnestly.

"No, he does not care," she answered with angry emphasis, and the Pilot made no reply.

"Perhaps," she went on hesitatingly, "he's angry because I said I didn't care for him, you remember? That was very wicked. But don't you think I'm punished nearly enough now? You made me very angry, and I didn't really mean it."

Poor Gwen! God had grown to be very real to her during these weeks of pain, and very terrible. The Pilot looked down a moment into the blue gray eyes, grown so big and so pitiful, and hurriedly dropping on his knees beside the bed, he said in a very unsteady voice:

"Oh, Gwen, Gwen, he's not like that! Don't you remember how Jesus was with the poor sick people? That's what he's like."

"Could Jesus make me well?"

"Yes, Gwen."

"Then why doesn't he?" she asked, and there was no impatience now, but only trembling anxiety as she went on in a timid voice: "I asked him to, over and over, and said I would wait two months, and now it's more than three. Are you quite sure he hears now?" She raised herself on her elbow and gazed searchingly into the Pilot's face. I was glad it was not into mine. As she uttered the words, "Are you quite sure?" one felt that things were in the balance. I could not help looking at the Pilot with intense anxiety. What would he answer? The Pilot moved out of the window upon the hills for a few moments—how long the silence seemed!—then, turning, looked into the eyes

that searched his so steadily and answered simply:

"Yes, Gwen, I am quite sure!" Then, with quick inspiration, he got her mother's Bible and said, "Now, Gwen, try to see it as I read." But before he read, with the true artist's instinct he created the proper atmosphere. By a few vivid words he made us feel the pathetic loneliness of the Man of Sorrows in his last sad days. Then he read that masterpiece of all tragic picturing, the story of Gethsemane. And as he read, we saw it all—the garden and the trees and the sorrow stricken Man alone with his mysterious agony. We heard the prayer so pathetically submissive, and then, for answer, the rabble and the traitor.

Gwen was far too quick to need explanation, and the Pilot only said, "You see, Gwen, God gave nothing but the best—to his own Son only the best."

"The best?" They took him away, didn't they?" She knew the story well.

"Yes, but listen." He turned the leaves rapidly and read: "We see Jesus for the suffering of death crowned with glory and honor." That is how he got his kingdom."

Gwen listened silent, but unconvinced, and then said slowly:

"But how can this be best for me? I am no use to any one. It can't be best to just lie here and make them all wait on me, and—and—I did want to help daddy—and—oh—I know they will get tired of me! They are getting tired already. I—I—can't help being hateful."

She was by this time sobbing as I had never heard her before—deep, passionate sobs. Then again the Pilot had an inspiration.

"Now, Gwen," he said severely, "you know we're not as mean as that, and that you are just talking nonsense, every word. Now I'm going to smooth out your red hair and tell you a story."

"It's not red," she cried, between her sobs. This was her sore point.

"It is red, as red as can be; a beautiful, shining purple red," said the Pilot emphatically, beginning to brush.

"Purple!" cried Gwen scornfully.

"Yes, I've seen it in the sun, purple. Haven't you?" said the Pilot, appealing to me. "And my story is about the canyon, our canyon, your canyon, 'down there.'"

"Is it true?" asked Gwen, already soothed by the cool, quick moving hands.

"True? It's as true as—as"—he glanced around the room—"as the 'Pilgrim's Progress.'" This was satisfactory, and the story went on.

"At first there were no canyons, but only the broad, open prairie. One day the master of the prairie, walking out over his great lawns, where were only grasses, asked the prairie, 'Where are your flowers?' and the prairie said, 'Master, I have no seeds.' Then he spoke to the birds, and they carried seeds of every kind of flower and strewn them far and wide, and soon the prairie bloomed with crocuses and roses and buffalo beans and the yellow crowfoot and the wild sunflowers and the red lilies all the summer long."

"Then the master came and was well pleased, but he missed the flowers he loved best of all, and he said to the prairie, 'Where are the clematis and the columbine, the sweet violets and wind flowers, and all the ferns and flowering shrubs?' And again he spoke to the birds, and again they carried all the seeds and strewn them far and wide. But, again, when the master came, he could not find the flowers he loved best of all, and he said, 'Where are those, my sweetest flowers?' and the prairie cried sorrowfully, 'Oh, master, I cannot keep the flowers, for the winds sweep fiercely and the sun beats upon my breast, and they wither up and fly away.'"

"Then the master spoke to the lightning, and with one swift blow the lightning cleft the prairie to the heart. And the prairie rocked and groaned in agony, and for many a day moaned bitterly over its black, jagged, gaping wound. But the Little Swan poured its waters through the cleft and carried down deep black mold, and once more the birds carried seeds and strewn them in the canyon. And after a long time the rough rocks were decked out with soft mosses and trailing vines, and all the nooks were hung with clematis and columbine, and great elms lifted their huge tops high up into the sunlight, and down about their feet clustered the low cedars and balsams, and everywhere the violets and wind flowers and maiden hair grew and bloomed, till the canyon became the master's place for rest and peace and joy."

The quaint tale was ended, and Gwen lay quiet for some moments, then said gently:

"Yes. The canyon flowers are much the best. Tell me what it means."

Then the Pilot read to her: "The fruits—I'll read 'flowers'—of the Spirit are love, joy, peace, long suffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, meekness, self control, and some of these grow only in the canyon."

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J. E. Allington, manager for Timmerman David Reeves, a musician is in the city and will endeavor to get thirty or forty young people here to assist in a production to be given here sometime in the future. It is claimed Reeves can play on eighteen different instruments, and that, in addition he can tell where any lost article is found, or "open the combination of anything that is manufactured."

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HORSE TURNED WAGON OVER THIS MORNING.

A farmer driving a light spring wagon loaded with a chicken coop filled with fowls and farm products, was thrown out by his horses becoming frightened at a street car on Legal Row this morning. He alighted on his feet and escaped injury. The wagon was pulled on the pavement and nearly turned over. Little damage was done except to the products spilled on the street.

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SULPHUROUS FUMES ENVELOPE A VENEZUELAN TOWN.

Caracas, Venezuela, Dec. 1.—For nearly three days past the city of Cumana, state of Bermudez, on the gulf of Cariaco, has been enveloped in sulphurous smoke. The origin of the phenomena can not be explained. The inhabitants of the place, numbering about 10,000, are afraid to leave their houses.

A committee is engaged in investigating the matter. Cumana has been destroyed six times by earthquakes.

Cumana has suffered more from earthquakes than any other Venezuelan town, and all the houses are built very low, while those of the Guayquerios Indians on the opposite side of the river are mere straw thatched huts. The spacious roadside is little visited by shipping, the various havens of the seaboard being more than sufficient for the undeveloped traffic of its region.

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Joliet, Ill., Dec. 2.—"The Rev. William Bohler Walker, of Christ Episcopal church, has been made a sort of assistant chief of police by Mayor Crollius to enable him to conduct his anti-saloon campaign here.

The Mayor sent a letter to Mr. Walker asking him to act as the personal representative of the Mayor in investigating the violations of law, and offering to the pastor the use of the police department in arresting any saloonkeepers who might be found keeping open after hours or on Sundays hereafter.

The saloonkeepers have concluded to organize and secure a general agreement to close as long as the present hostile situation exists.

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MR. MUSCOE BURNETTE'S HOUSE SLIGHTLY DAMAGED.

The residence of Mr. Muscoe Burnett, on West Broadway beyond Fountain avenue, caught fire this morning about 8 o'clock but little damage was done.

A spark from a chimney ignited the roof but the quick work of the fire department extinguished the blaze before it had gotten headway. The damage will be slight. This is the second time the house has caught from this chimney and exactly in the same place.

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